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INTRODUCTION OF ALARM SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to introduce `alarm system` to prevent illegal use of the I.S.D. and S.T.D. system in the country ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ; and

(c) the time by which the said system to be introduced ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) and (b) It is proposed to set up fraud management and control center at Hyderabad as a pilot project. The proposed center will provide technological solution for the fraud management. This system can prevent illegal use of STD/ ISD by screening the list of STD barred numbers, by making profile comparison of the subscriber, monitoring the threshold value of the subscriber etc. Similar system is being set up by MTNL for their Delhi and Mumbai units.
(c) These centers are likely to be operational by this year end.